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DOMESTIC SECTION 214 APPLICATION FILED FOR THE TRANSFER OF CONTROL OF NTI TALK, INC. FROM KAWTHAR RABIE TO NOOR RABIE

STREAMLINED PLEADING CYCLE ESTABLISHED

WC Docket No. 14-153

Comments Due: October 1, 2014

Reply Comments Due: October 8, 2014

On August 29, 2014, Kawthar Rabie and Noor Rabie (collectively, Applicants) filed an application pursuant to section 63.03 of the Commission's rules to transfer control of NTI Talk, Inc. (NTI Talk) from Kawthar Rabie to Noor Rabie.¹

NTI Talk, an Illinois corporation, is a privately held telecommunications company that provides long distance service on a prepaid basis. NTI Talk is currently authorized to provide prepaid telecommunications services in the state of Illinois. Kawthar Rabie, a United States citizen, wholly owns NTI Talk.

Applicants state that under the proposed transaction, Noor Rabie will acquire 100 percent of the equity interests of NTI Talk. After consummation of the proposed transaction, NTI Talk will continue to provide service to customers pursuant to company authorizations under the same rate, terms and conditions. Applicants assert that the proposed transaction is entitled to presumptive streamlined treatment under section 63.03(b)(2)(i) of the Commission's rules and that a grant of the application will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity.²

Domestic Section 214 Application Filed for the Transfer of Control of NTI Talk, Inc. from Kawthar Rabie to Noor Rabie, WC Docket No. 14-153 (filed August 29, 2014).

GENERAL INFORMATION

¹ 47 C.F.R § 63.03; *see* 47 U.S.C. § 214. Applicants are also filing applications for transfer of control associated with authorization for international services. Any action on this domestic section 214 application is without prejudice to Commission action on other related, pending applications.

² 47 C.F.R. § 63.03(b)(2)(i).

The transfer of control identified herein has been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing as a streamlined application. The Commission reserves the right to return any transfer application if, upon further examination, it is determined to be defective and not in conformance with the Commission's rules and policies. Pursuant to section 63.03(a) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 63.03(a), interested parties may file comments **on or before October 1, 2014**, and reply comments **on or before October 8, 2014**. Pursuant to section 63.52 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.52, commenters must serve a copy of comments on the Applicants no later than the above comment filing date. Unless otherwise notified by the Commission, the Applicants may transfer control on the 31st day after the date of this notice.

Pursuant to section 63.03 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 63.03, parties to this proceeding should file any documents in this proceeding using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS): http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/ecfs2/.

In addition, e-mail one copy of each pleading to each of the following:

- 1) Myrva Freeman, Competition Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, myrva.freeman@fcc.gov;
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- 3) David Krech, Policy Division, International Bureau, david.krech@fcc.gov; and
- 4) Jim Bird, Office of General Counsel, jim.bird@fcc.gov.

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For further information, please contact Myrva Freeman at (202) 418-1506 or Dennis Johnson at (202) 418-0809.